House District 32

Mike Hawker, Republican



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LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 25 years

Anchorage since 1979

OCCUPATION:

Business and Accounting Consultant; Legislator.

EDUCATION

1974 to 1979 - University of Northern Iowa, Joint BA; Accounting and Humanities, Certified Public Accountant

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

1979 to 1991 - CPA, Price Waterhouse; Financial Accounting and Reporting Consultant; 1991 to 1995 - Partner, Hawker and Raleigh, CPAs; 1995 to 1997 - Corporate financial officer; 1997 to 2002 - Business and Accounting Consultant; 2002 to 2004 - Legislator.

SERVICE ORGANIZATION(S) MEMBERSHIP:

Sons of American Veterans; Anchorage School Business Partnership - Director; Alaska Aviation Heritage Museum - Director; Isaak Walton League, Alaska Chapter - Past Director; National Rifle Association - Life Member; Alaska Gun Collectors Association - Past Vice-President, Texas Gun Collectors Association; Harley Davidson Owners Group - Life Member; Collings Foundation (Sponsors WW2 aircraft preservation); Statue of Liberty Ellis Island Foundation.

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

History, museums and libraries; Firearms history, preservationist and exhibition; Alaska Youth Firearms Safety Education Day sponsor; Historic aircraft preservation; Amateur chef and horticulturist.

STATEMENT:

It is an honor serving our community as State Representative. Two years ago when I first visited door-to-door seeking support I repeatedly heard two requests: Rise above partisan rhetoric and address our fiscal challenges. I have a strong record of opendoor leadership on these and the other important issues facing Alaska today.

My highest priority is working for sensible fiscal policy balancing Alaska's budget without compromising delivery of essential services. With vision and strong leadership we can implement a fiscal solution that controls the cost of government, protects the Permanent Fund and sustains a responsible level of spending. Our solution must be founded on fiscal discipline but recognize that every decision effects the lives of individual Alaskans.

There is still much work to achieve the future we want. Responsible resource development, balancing the budget, improving schools, protecting jobs, creating new career opportunities, making communities safer and providing needed public services depends on electing legislators who can get the job done. I have the right combination of skills and experience for that job.

My commitment to our community and common sense leadership comes from living in our district 25 years and my career throughout Alaska as a CPA, corporate financial officer, business consultant and legislator. I have provided our community a strong legislative voice through my positions on the House Finance Committee and as Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee.

I will continue listening to your concerns and keep working for your interests. I would appreciate your vote for re-election.

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